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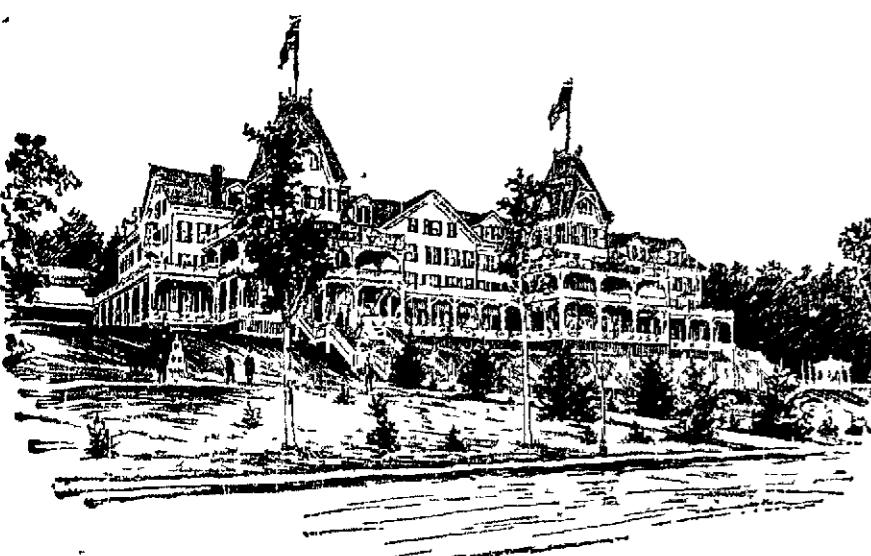
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By a recent decision of the legal bureau of the postoffice department, the sending of notification cards to the publishers of second-class mail matter when it is not delivered, is held to be unnecessary.

This ruling, just sent out by the department, is as follows:

"Card notices to publishers, of non-delivery of copies of publications admitted to the second class, under the Act of July 16, 1891, not obligatory."

"Under the advice of the law officer of the Department, it is held—

"That since the act of July 16, 1891, authorizes the transmission in the mails at the second-class rates of postage of certain periodical publications without regard to the possession of a legitimate list of subscribers, and consequently it is not required that copies sent to non-subscribers shall bear a distinctive mark—such as 'sample copy'—it is held that the sending of the card notice prescribed by section 556 and section 557 to the publishers of such publications is not obligatory, especially when it appears from their character that they are issued largely for free distribution.

"In case of publications of obvious value, where the customary notice of non-delivery is not applicable, card notice No. 3540 must be sent to the publishers.

"Postmasters will govern themselves accordingly."

SUBSCRIPTION PARTY.

One of the most enjoyable social affairs of the season was the subscription party given in Philbrick banquet hall, on Friday evening, by several well-known society ladies. Although informal in every way it was quite a dressy party and society was out in full force. A large load of officers from the yard and ships with their ladies, were present and the surrounding summer hotels each sent parties of young people. Dancing was indulged in until a late hour and it was with genuine reluctance that good nights were said. A dainty lunch was served at intermission. The patronesses were the wives of some of our most prominent professional men.

THE EZRA BARKER ESTATE.

Lawyer Arthur G. Whittemore of Dover, who was appointed executor of the big estate of the late Ezra Barker of Stratham, paid a visit to that town on Thursday and paid all the specific legacies, amounting to \$76,000. The remainder of the estate, amounting to upwards of \$100,000, will go to the residuary. There are altogether twenty legatees and on the \$76,000 distributed among them is a government tax rising \$3000. By the will Edmund B. and Albie Lane of Dover, a nephew and niece of the deceased, received \$10,000 each.

COL. STANWOOD AT DES MOINES.

Col. James R. Stanwood of this city was in the receiving line at the grand reception in Des Moines, Iowa, on Tuesday evening, the 22d inst., tendered to General Dyrenforth, commander-in-chief, and staff, of the Union Veterans Union. The Iowa State Register, in its account of the reception, paid a graceful compliment to Col. Stanwood, who it says "travelled 1,500 miles to attend the encampment, this being the greatest distance covered by any delegate to the national gathering."

PROBATE COURT.

The following business has been transacted in the Probate court for the county of Rockingham for the week ending August 24.

Inventories Filed.—In estates of James O. Bartlett, Northwood; John C. Whitcomb, South Hampton; Albert S. Pulsifer, Deerfield; George Frazier, Cambridge; Mary A. Marston, Hampton; George Smith, Northwood; Charles A. Dame, Newington; Eliza A. Moore, Derry; John H. Winslow, Nottingham.

GALE IN THE RACE.

All doubts as to whether Gen. S. B. Gale of Exeter will be a candidate for congressional honors at the Republican convention next fall have been dispelled by a letter which he has addressed to the voters of the first district. This is the first formal announcement that General Gale has made that he will be in the race.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Agnes Murphy is the guest of friends in Haverhill.

John W. Kelley went to Wolfeborough today, to spend Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Davis of Candia are visiting friends in this city.

Mrs. Frank C. Marston returned on Friday from a two months' visit in England.

City Marshal Thomas Entwistle and wife have returned from their visit to the Weirs.

George W. Parker has returned from an extended visit in Springfield and Boston.

Officer M. J. Harley has returned from Readville, where he saw two days' races.

Major George H. Demeritt and Charles W. Demeritt of Dover were in town today.

Miss Gertrude Perry has returned from Boston, where she has been visiting for a week.

Miss Katherine D. Lamos returned home today, after a two weeks' sojourn at Old Orchard.

Col. Daniel Hall of Dover was in town on Friday, the guest of Senator W. E. Chandler.

Special Officer Hodgkins is in Seabrook today on an investigating tour for the S. P. C. A.

City Marshal Entwistle and Mrs. Entwistle have returned from a three days' stay at the Weirs.

George W. Ducker has been added to the anniversary committee of the Portsmouth Athletic club.

Mrs. Frank West and Miss Fanny Deverson, who have been passing a few days at the Weirs, have returned home.

Captain Thomas M. Jackson of Brooklyn, N. Y., arrived Friday to visit his mother, Mrs. Lavinia Jackson, Summer street.

Mrs. J. Arthur Morey and Miss Lila Morey of Haverhill, Mass., are the guests of Mrs. Frances Pettigrew, Lexington street.

Mrs. Minnie Woods of Boston is the guest of relatives in Greenland and attended the burly gurdy party in Peirce Hall Friday evening.

City Marshal Thomas Entwistle has been chosen second vice president of the Third Regiment New Hampshire Volunteer association.

Miss Eva School and her brother, Harry, of Medfield, Mass., are the guests of their aunt, Mrs. D. J. Carroll, at her home on Daniel street.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Shaw and daughter, Miss Nettie, of Ballardvale, Mass., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Shaw, School street.

Mrs. William H. Turner and sons, Chester and Clifford, of Lynn, Mass., who have been visiting Mrs. Ellen E. Rowe, of Eliot, Me., returned home on Friday.

Elder A. E. Phelps of Rhode Island, former pastor, will occupy the pulpit of the Advent Christian church on Sunday. Services as usual. All are welcome.

L. J. Ellwood, of the granite firm of H. E. Fletcher & Co., of Chelmsford, Mass., was in this city on Friday. This firm will furnish the cut granite work for the extension to the Middle street Baptist church.

Mrs. John S. Tilton and granddaughter, Emily, have returned from Heding, and leave for Portland today, Saturday, where they will be the guests of her daughter, Mrs. R. H. Jordan, for the next two weeks.

Miss Maud V. Simpson, who has been sojourning at Wakefield, during vacation season, returns home today, and will sing at the Middle street church on Sunday, filling the place of Mrs. Montgomery, who is absent from the city.

Rev. and Mrs. M. V. McDuffie with three children are spending a few weeks in the New England hills near Vernon, Vermont. On the 22d he addressed the grangers of Vermont on "The Truth before the Way." They were at Hinsdale, New Hampshire, last week, and at Northfield, Mass., the week before.

William H. Miller, Charles Plermans and Manuel Guendessey, of the Resolute, now being fitted out at Portsmouth, for Porto Rico, were in town over night, the guests of Patrick J. McManus. They have received orders to be ready to sail from Portsmouth next Saturday afternoon, at 1 o'clock, via New York and Baltimore for Porto Rico.—Dover Democrat.

How Are Your Kidneys?
Dr. Hobbs Sparagus Pillium are all kidney ills. Same free. A. J. Stirling Remedy Co., Chicago or N. Y.

HUNTING FOR HARRINGTON.

He Had \$100 and is Supposed to be in This City.

Patrick Harrington, who has been employed on a North Hampton farm for about a year, is being searched for in this city by the people for whom he has been working.

Last August he signed the pledge and the police officials, here who had taken an interest in his efforts to straighten out, procured for him a position on the farm in North Hampton known then as "the haunted house." Just before that, Officer Hodgkins and his son, Colson, had put in several nights lurking around the place to catch the person or persons presumed to be guilty of making unearthly noises to annoy the aged couple who own the farm.

Harrington laughed at the idea of ghosts and took the job of hired man and watchman, combined, the very minute it was offered to him. He became a great favorite with the old couple by his industry and honesty, and incidentally dispelled any "ghosts" that may have been hanging around.

Two or three days ago Harrington got permission to come to Portsmouth on business, and left the farm. Since then the old folks have heard nothing from him. They fear that he may have fallen into his old ways, so this morning they sent a neighbor of theirs, named Smith, into this city to hunt him up.

Smith called at the police station where he learned that none of the officers had seen Harrington. Thence he went to the North end, knowing that Harrington's old haunts were down that way.

Harrington had over a hundred dollars when he left North Hampton, and it is feared that somebody may take advantage of him and rob him. The folks on the farm are anxious to have him return to them.

DELAY IN RECEIPTS OF COAL.

The Manchester dealers in coal and manufacturing industries have been somewhat affected by the recent conditions of the weather, owing to the fact that their coal supply has not yet been filled. The fog of the last three days has kept the coal barges anchored in the lower harbor at Portsmouth and until the fog lifts the barges will be unable to make the coal pockets in the upper harbor. The local railroad men claim also that the recent inclement weather has interfered greatly with the schedule of the coal trains over the Portsmouth branch, and caused the canceling of the dailies over this road. Previous to this week the corporations were having heavy runs, including those of the Manchester and China mills of Suncook, although the former is expecting a run of 2000 tons more. There has been no further advance in the wholesale price of coal and none at all in the retail price.—Manchester Mirror.

A NEW RULE.

A new rule has been instituted at the Manchester street car office, which says that conductors must assist all ladies and children on and off the cars, and if one of them is found standing upon the rear end when a lady or child is attempting to get on or off, he will be immediately suspended from duty. This rule is not necessary on either the Portsmouth electric road or the P. K. & Y. The conductors on these two systems are attentive to this duty pretty nearly all the time.

OBSEQUIES.

At the Unitarian church on Friday afternoon occurred the funeral of Mrs. Martha Elizabeth Emery, widow of the late Hon. James W. Emery of this city. Rev. James DeNormandie, formerly pastor of the church, and a personal friend, officiated, and the service was largely attended. The bearers were: Dr. May of this city, J. Langdon Ward of New York, Frank Goodwin of Boston and William A. Hayes of Cambridge. Interment was at Proprietors' cemetery in the family lot, Undertaker Ham having charge.

G. A. R. ENCAMPMENT.

There is an unusual interest among the Grand Army men of this city in the national encampment which is to be held in Philadelphia the week commencing Sept. 3.

There will be a very large attendance from the different sections of the state and Portsmouth will do her share towards making this encampment one of the largest and most interesting gatherings ever held in this country.

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DULL SUMMER FOR AMUSEMENTS.

It is a noticeable fact that the present season thus far has been unusually dull in this city in the line of summer amusements. For many years baseball was a big attraction, and each year the enthusiasts in this city supported a good team. This summer, however, has been very little of the game, and the disappointment over its absence is evident in many quarters.

The city has perhaps the best assortment of local material to make up a team that can be found in any place in the state, but most of the players have accepted positions with other teams this year, whenever they have played at all.

George Woods and Smith were with the Hamptons so long as the Trolley league lasted. Newick pitched several games for Stratford county clubs. The rest have hardly touched a ball all summer.

AN OBSERVATION.

"I watched Frank Jones as he fondled his silver-headed stick in the front row of the grandstand box right on the wire, and watched the opening heat through his gold bowed spectacles. His horse came down the stretch in a grand bunch with Charley Herr, and as Tom Marsh fairly lifted the Maplewood mare ahead of the bay stallion at the wire a \$10,000 smile stole over his face that was good to see. It was a grand mile grandly won. I am right glad for Mr. Jones. Not that he needs the money. He don't. He has got about \$20,000,000 saved away in cold storage somewhere, as it is. But he has been spending good money for years in trying to get together a winning stable, with only indifferent success. Now that he seems to have got things coming his way everybody is glad for him, even the owners he beat."—Looker-On in Boston Record.

THE INTERVIEWER.

"We rarely ever find anything in the shape of a knife or gun on the person of a hobo," said a policeman. "This is noticeable true at times when we are looking for a man who has been mixed up in a stabbing or shooting affray. At such times all the tramps that come up to the station house are found with nothing of that sort on their persons. I have been told by some of the tramps themselves that when there is a man wanted for any crime every hobo who hears of it throws away his knife or gun. They know that they are always 'suspects' and fear that the possession of some weapon that seems to fit the case will lead them into grave trouble. A hobo does not mind a jail sentence but he is leary of the penitentiary and strives, as a rule, to escape conviction on a crime which is of a really serious nature."

AT THE NAVY YARD.

A boat was shipped to Key West on Friday.

The yard was thronged with visitors on Friday.

The Resolute will probably sail this afternoon.

Read Admiral John W. Philip, commandant of the New York navy yard, will be fifty-nine years old on Saturday. He will celebrate the event by taking a trip to Cape Cod with his wife and niece.

ASSESSORS' NOTICE.

The Board of Assessors will be in session at the City Clerk's office on Monday evening, August 28th, at 7:30 o'clock, for the consideration of any business which may legally be brought before it.

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pretty as they make them, in the power of this dirty old Indian thief who would sell her to the devil himself for 100 pesos. Why not engage her as his housekeeper, to look after his clothes and keep the place decent? There could be no possible reason against it. He would see that she was well paid and her life would be pleasant. What wrong was there? As well his housekeeper as the abused and beaten wife of some brute of a muleteer.

So Tio Joaquin received the sum of 300 pesos, with Dolores in exchange, under the strict understanding that the senior was in another year to be married, when his wife, perhaps, might object to a housekeeper, at which time Dolores would be returned to her uncle or her coast home with full and sufficient pay for her services. To which the worthy tio assented eagerly, with assurances that the above would be explained at length to Dolores. Which, of course, the old wretch had no intention of doing. Dolores was a good girl, and wore the image of the Virgin around her lovely throat—well knew the tio that she would never consent to anything but good.

—Life.

A MAN'S LOVE.

Not the pleasantest thing on earth is a lone man's life in a Mexican mining camp. Which thought, in all its force, struck Savitz in the commencement of his second year in Pinal de Amoles. The first year he had not noticed it so much. When a man has a hitherto mismanaged mine and concentrating plant to put on a paying basis that will please gentlemen of the ilk of those who owned the London Mining and Concentrating Company, Limited, he has not time to speculate over the loneliness and general melancholy of his headquarters. And Savitz was not a man who particularly minded loneliness. He thought he had a future ahead of him. There was a fortune to be made for somebody in this abominable, walled-in Mexican camp, and he was the man to make it. Besides all of which, there was a girl off there in London who was waiting and praying for his success and the raising of his salary. He was very fond of the girl.

There are some God-forsaken spots in Mexico. Pinal de Amoles was of these the most forsaken. And when Savitz, after fourteen months' desperate struggle, finally had the mill and the mine running in tiptop order and began to see rosy visions of a "rise" within the next twelve months—the directors had not been gentle enough to be hurried—the dreariness began each day to sink deeper into his soul.

To get an occasional newspaper and the weekly letter in a big square white envelope, Savitz had to ride forty miles over a rough trail road to the station to which the burros packed. He could have sent a mozo, but he preferred to go himself—it broke the monotony. Not that there was anything to see en route, save cactus and clumps of mesquite and the bleaching bones of cattle, and now and then a heap of stones, surmounted by a rude cross, marking the place where some lonely traveller had been robbed and murdered.

Halfway between the ferracarril and Pinal there was a sort of Indian pueblo, however, where lived old Joaquin the owner of several burro trains. And coming back from the station, one glowing hot day, Savitz stopped to speak to the old rascal about the hiring of some burros for the freighting of minerals to the railway. Joaquin, unfortunately, was exceedingly drunk, so was his wife, and Savitz was forced obliged to speak to a very pretty half-Indian girl who was taking care of the couple of "shameless ones."

Her name was Dolores, she told Savitz, shyly, and she was the niece of old Joaquin. Her home was over near the coast—oh, many leagues away—four or five days; she did not like her home; it was very triste. She likes the amusement and the dancing. And Joaquin, her tio, was very "amiable"—but for the drinking.

Now Dolores was more than pretty—she was downright beautiful, with an appealing mixture of Indian and Spanish charm, and eyes and hair of old Castile, and she was spotlessly clad and sweet and fresh—in fact, the first pretty woman that Savitz had laid eyes upon for many a long month. Wherefore he told her that perhaps he had best do nothing about the burros just then, until Don Joaquin was recovered. And he would come back again in a few days, the day after tomorrow, perhaps mañana. And then said "adios—hasta la vista, señorita," and rode away; a sweet, dark face, with Spanish eyes and crimson lips, haunting his eyes and fancy.

Of course he went back and hired the burros the very next day. The day after that he found that he needed several more animals. That necessitated another visit. Something else came up, too, in a few more days—again it was necessary that he see Don Joaquin, who by this time was beginning to chuckle to himself, seeing opportunity for a good bargain. He was a poor man; why, therefore, should he support a muchacha who could do better for herself than could her poor tio? Besides the which, he (Joaquin) needed badly the sum of 500 pesos to invest in new burros for the trail. Surely the senior could afford that? As for the girl—carriama he would arrange that.

Now, Savitz was not a thorough scamp. He had thought it all over to himself and reasoned out matters, and finally told his conscience that the thing would hurt nobody. Here was the girl, a born lady at heart, and

mountain air, when, one warm, perfect, moonlight night a slender figure, wrapped in a rebozo and tapalo, toiled slowly and weary along the trail. A portero's house had been built some time before at the Huichola wall and to get in you had first to arouse and speak to the portero, who was an Indian.

He knew the woman, Dolores. And while he vaguely answered her questions and heard her sob out that no matter if "her lord" was far over the sea, she must at least see his house and the place where he used to sit and his hammock in which she had often swung him, the man was wondering in what manner he could break it to her. Pues, it was an ugly thing! And desperate, he begged her to come quietly after him and first peep through the window.

Somewhat disturbed, though not knowing why, Dolores crept on after the Indian until they reached the long window that opened from the patio on to the sitting-room. With heart beating, she gazed eagerly in—was it possible that he could have returned?

In his great chair Savitz lounged, and, nestled up against its arm knelt a fair woman with sweet, grave face and deep eyes. Her head was against his shoulder, and together they were studying out some plan for the mail workers—the woman who could understand!

Pedro, the Indian, turned his face away. But there was nothing to see or hear. A woman's heart can break quietly, and often does. In a moment Dolores thanked her guide and turned softly away. Pedro knew better than to follow her—being also an Indian. He merely gazed after her, with a pitying shake of the head, as she toiled along the path to the trail and then passed out of sight on the mountain side.

Varying Testimony of Eyewitnesses.

A group of lawyers was discussing evidence in the office of the Marshal of the Kansas City Court of Appeals.

One lawyer said it was strange how three or four witnesses of the same thing would get on the witness stand in court and tell entirely different stories of how it happened.

"There's nothing remarkable in that," said another lawyer. "The five of us here may walk together down the street and see two men fighting. We will stop and listen to the quarrel and watch the fight, and see one of the men kill the other, and yet no two of us will agree precisely in our stories of it, and some of us will differ widely on most material points."

"That reminds me," said Judge Smith, "of a strange experience of mine; one that I could not explain then and which has been a mystery to me ever since. It was in a small town of interior Missouri. I was then attending court. The courthouse was in a square in the centre of the town. During a recess of the court I was looking out of a window of the courthouse and saw two men fighting in the street. I saw one of the men draw a knife and stab the other, who immediately drew his revolver and shot the man with the knife dead. If I had been subpoenaed in the matter I would have gone into court and sworn that I saw the man draw a knife and stab the other; and yet those who stood close to the two men testified that no knife was drawn or used, and no knife was found. It was an optical illusion on my part, and it goes to show that a man may be sure he sees a thing and yet he does not see it."

The Letter of the Law.

It seems as if there can be no end to the amusing cases that lawyers are called upon to decide.

A certain well-known practitioner had among his clients an impulsive old farmer who had serious difference with a cabinetmaker. As is usual in such matters in country districts, the affair caused a great deal of discussion among the neighbors, who severely藻美 themselves with one or other of the contending parties.

At last a compromise was agreed to by which the farmer was to take, in full satisfaction of all demands, the cabinetmaker's note for \$10 at six months, payable in cabinet-ware.

The required papers arranging the settlement having been duly executed and delivered, it was generally supposed that a quiet and amicable conclusion had been arrived at.

But just at the close of the six months the farmer entered the lawyer's office, greatly agitated, and plainly exclaimed:

"I say, Mr. Smart, am I bound to take collins?"

On the note becoming due the cabinetmaker had refused to pay him any other way.

Fruit As a Diet.

If you have determined to try a fruit diet, learn when you should eat it.

When fruit is to be used at the table substitute it for some part of the meal.

Dyspeptics should be exceedingly careful when combining fruit with other articles of diet.

Many doctors insist upon fruit being allowed to constitute the entire meal.

Fruit and grains are supposed to form a pleasant repast.

Stewed fruits with starch articles of diet, vegetables being mentioned, do not pass hygienic muster.

Acid fruits and milk are prohibited as a combination.

Famous Three R's.

The originator of the famous three "r" alliteration, "reading, 'riting and 'rithmatic," was Sir William Curtis, a Lord Mayor of London. In 1795 he proposed it as a toast before the Board of Education.

In proportion to its size, Switzerland has more inns than any other country in the world. The entertainment of tourists has become the chief industry of the land. No less than 1,700 hosteries, stationed for the most part on mountain tops or near glaciers, are on the list, and the receipts of the hotel-keepers amount to \$25,000,000 a year, so if cannot be such a bad business.

A WOMAN'S IDEAL.

Mrs. Blenkins laid down her novel with a deep sigh. The hero of the elopement in the last chapter was such a splendid romantic figure. No wonder his friend's wife ran away with him. Any woman would have found it impossible to resist him. He was so unlike Jack. Poor Jack was so dreadfully prosaic. He never even quarreled. He was too phlegmatic for anger.

At least, that was the way Mrs. Blenkins put it to herself. Of course Jack was fond of her. She knew that perfectly well. But his affection took the form of placid contentment, a desire to be amiable, a sickening domestic bliss.

Fate had clearly treated Sophia Blenkins badly in uniting a woman of her temperament to such a man as Jack. She felt herself utterly thrown away upon Jack. He was only fit for the ordinary woman.

Mrs. Blenkins' reverie was so deep that she did not hear the sound of the latchkey. The first intimation she received of her husband's presence was when he stood before her. He was not, certainly, a romantic object. The pockets of his overcoat bulged out unsymmetrically; from under each arm an ungainly brown paper parcel protruded.

There is another character in the town who keeps the village general store. He is a good-hearted fellow who after a long course of bachelorthood, finally married. In this little town it is the custom for the happy bridegroom to set up the cigars for all the congratulating males who drop in to wish him joy. So the bridegroom in this instance had a box on the counter, and most of his patrons were regaled from it.

Pretty soon the ancient gentleman first referred to lounged in. The storekeeper who felt friendly to all the world just then, pushed the box toward the newcomer.

"Have a cigar, Uncle Jim," he smilingly said.

"Uncle Jim looked at the box and looked at the storekeeper.

"What's this for?" he asked.

The storekeeper slightly blushed.

"Been gettin' married," he answered.

"Eh?"

"Been gettin' married."

"Who's you?"

"Yep Ma."

"Are you standin' treat, eh?"

"Yep," said the storekeeper.

"How much did these seegars cost ye, Ah?" he inquired.

"Oh," replied the storekeeper. "They cost me bout 4 cents. They're nickel cigars."

The old man dropped the cigar back in the box. Then his gaze wandered around the store.

"Well, Ab," he slowly drawled, "it's all the same to you I'll take a pound of 'em!"

And he got them.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

HE GOT THEM.

Individuality is lost sight of in the cities. It is swallowed up, as it were in the mob. In a village it stands out with surprising distinctness. The odd characters of the place are known to everybody, and their queer sayings and doings are told from mouth to mouth.

In a certain town not a great ways from Cleveland there are probably as many of these peculiar people as any place of its size can boast. One of them is an ancient man who longs for the good old times that followed the war, and is a firm believer in the criminal weakness of the present financial system. He is a man of considerable property, but nevertheless is economical to an extreme degree. In fact he was never known to spend a penny that didn't go for some actual necessity.

There is another character in the town who keeps the village general store. He is a good-hearted fellow who after a long course of bachelorthood, finally married. In this little town it is the custom for the happy bridegroom to set up the cigars for all the congratulating males who drop in to wish him joy. So the bridegroom in this instance had a box on the counter, and most of his patrons were regaled from it.

Pretty soon the ancient gentleman first referred to lounged in. The storekeeper who felt friendly to all the world just then, pushed the box toward the newcomer.

"Have a cigar, Uncle Jim," he smilingly said.

"Uncle Jim looked at the box and looked at the storekeeper.

"What's this for?" he asked.

The storekeeper slightly blushed.

"Been gettin' married," he answered.

"Eh?"

"Been gettin' married."

"Who's you?"

"Yep Ma."

"Are you standin' treat, eh?"

"Yep," said the storekeeper.

"How much did these seegars cost ye, Ah?" he inquired.

"Oh," replied the storekeeper. "They cost me bout 4 cents. They're nickel cigars."

The old man dropped the cigar back in the box. Then his gaze wandered around the store.

"Well, Ab," he slowly drawled, "it's all the same to you I'll take a pound of 'em!"

And he got them.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

JOLO ARCHIPELAGO

The Islands Will Hereafter Be Under American Rule.

SUMMARY OF THE AGREEMENT

General Bates Successful in His Mission With the Sultan of the War Away Islands.

Sultan Acknowledges Sovereignty of the United States—Terms of the Agreement—Negotiations Required—Great Patience—Everything Reasonable to Be Conceded.

Manila, Aug. 25.—Gen. John C. Bates has returned here from the Jolo (or Sulu) Islands whither he went to treat with the Sultan for the recognition of American sovereignty and the establishment of American Government. Gen. Bates expresses himself as highly satisfied with the result of his mission and is convinced that the United States will obtain the full measure of their rights.

He says that his negotiations with the Moros required the greatest patience, the Moros wishing to exclude Americans from a portion of the territory. Now everything reasonable will be conceded to the Americans. Gen. Bates considers that the \$10,000 in Mexican money which he took with him has been judiciously expended.

The agreement or semi-treaty, which the Sultan and all of his datus signed, not including Zamboanga, obligated their maintenance of peace, and limits the jurisdiction of the Sultan to crime or disorders committed by Moros, in return for or against Moros. The Sultan collects no revenue. The matter of trade relations was not touched, pending a possible adjustment of the Spanish treaty with England and Germany.

The total sum of the salaries of the Sultan's datus, which formerly equalled the pay of an American Major, has been raised to an amount equaling Colonel's salary.

Please War Department Officials.

Washington, Aug. 25.—General Otis's dispatch announcing the terms of the agreement entered into between General John C. Bates, as the representative of the military administration in the Philippines and the Sultan of Sulu or more properly speaking of the Jolo Archipelago, was received with much satisfaction at the War Department. This agreement lightens much the task of extending the American sovereignty over the eastern islands surrendered to the United States by Spain.

There are about 150 islands in the Jolo Archipelago, the principal of which is Sulu, and the Sultan is the undisputed ruler of this territory. Spain's sovereignty over the islands was nothing more than a treaty arrangement with the Sultan. In fact, it was not sovereignty at all, merely suzerainty with certain commercial privileges and the right to establish a military station. The concessions obtained in General Bates's dispatch, as indicated in General Otis's dispatch, are much in advance of those which Spain was at any time able to command.

The conciliatory mood of the Sultan indicates that he has been impressed with the manner in which the Americans are dealing with the Tagal rebellion and is wise enough to see that his best interests will be subserved by courting the friendship of the United States rather than incurring its enmity.

Californians Royally Welcomed.

San Francisco, Aug. 25.—The United States transport Sherman, bearing the First California Regiment of Volunteers, has arrived here. No one living anywhere within the boundaries of San Francisco was long in ignorance of the arrival of the transport. The steam whistles shrieked, sirens screamed, bells rang and the streets were soon filled with cheering throngs as soon as the big transport was sighted. The Sherman anchored a mile beyond the heads, but came in a few hours later.

The "Call" scored a triumph in wireless telegraphy in connection with the Sherman's arrival. Receiving stations were established at the Cliff House and on the lightship nine miles out, and when the news came that the Sherman was in sight it was soon followed by the cheering intelligence, "All well on board; no deaths during the voyage."

The premature arrival of the Sherman disarranged plans for the reception of the regiment, but an imposing naval pageant was held as the transport sailed in through the Golden Gate.

The Yaqui Insurrection.

City of Mexico, Aug. 25.—At the War Department very little attention is attracted by the rising of the Yaqui Indians in Sonora, which has been much exaggerated in importance in the newspapers outside the republic. General Torre has about 12,000 men under his command, which is considered ample force for the work in hand. It is not thought the Yaquis will risk another regular engagement after their drubbings at Bacum and Vicam. They have taken to the mountains, and guerrilla bands are to be organized to follow them. No political significance attaches to the uprising.

Another Riot in Cleveland.

Cleveland, Ohio, Aug. 25.—A big Consolidated motorman and conductor were threatened with violence by an angry mob on Broadway. The police had to charge the crowd repeatedly to save them. The Broadway car was almost downtown when, running at a rapid rate, it struck a spring wagon, throwing the four occupants onto the pavement, injuring them badly.

Hearst Mines to Be Sold.

Deadwood, S. D., Aug. 25.—The Hearst interest in the Homestead mine, valued at \$3,000,000, is to be sold in London next month. It is rumored that the same interest in other mines about Deadwood will be sold.

A BAD AFFAIR.

Desolation of Gold Seekers at Kotzebue Sound.

Washington, Aug. 25.—Captain Shoemaker of the revenue cutter service has received a report from Lieutenant D. H. Jarvis, the commander of the revenue cutter Bear, containing an account of the rescue of the goldseekers who rushed into the Kotzebue gold country, Alaska, in the summer of 1888.

Lieutenant Jarvis was taking the Bear north to Cape Barrow on her regular trip. At Cape Prince of Wales he learned of the awful desolation of the goldseekers at Kotzebue Sound. On arrival there he found a terrible condition of affairs. Men had died of starvation, scurvy and by drowning, and he obtained a list of forty-eight deaths, but the list is by no means complete.

One thousand of the goldseekers had wintered there. The Bear, after leaving as much of the distress as possible, and leaving stores, lime juice, etc., for the living, took eighty-two of the survivors to St. Michael, where they were turned over to the military authorities. Lieutenant Jarvis's report is dated July 30 at St. Michael. He reported that he left between 25 and 250 survivors at Kotzebue Sound. He informed the department that he would proceed to Cape Barrow, and then return to Kotzebue Sound and pick up those who desired to return. Jarvis says:

"The rush of people to Kotzebue Sound was a sad, deplorable affair. Misled by false information and advertisements, 1,200 people, many totally untrained to stand hard conditions and climate, rushed to the country in 1898. No gold was found, and in the spring they sought every means of escaping from the region."

"Many were drowned in the swift currents of the rivers in the fall of 1898, others lost their lives in the winter from the cold, and, worst of all, in the spring scurvy broke out in nearly all the camps. I apprehend that many of those who started constating along the shore for Cape Nome may have lost their lives. The two brothers Pickering of Princeton, Ky., were killed by a native named Kokamuk. These men had a bad character, and are said to have killed one Mardi of Santa Rosa, Cal., for his money. Kokamuk could not be found, but from native reports the killing was done in self-defense, as the Pickering were shooting at him at the time for some trivial offense. I will investigate the affair further upon my return."

Negro Rioters Arrested.

Darien, Ga., Aug. 25.—Nearly forty negroes are imprisoned in the jail here as a result of the demonstration against the removal of Henry Delegat, negro criminal. The negroes learned that Delegat was to be removed to Savannah, and got the idea into their heads that he was to be lynched.

Four hundred of them, armed in every conceivable manner, surrounded the prison and swore that Delegat should not be removed. They became threatening, stopped wagons and committed acts of impudence until the authorities called upon the Governor for aid.

In the mean time the wives and female friends of the rioters were encouraging them in every possible manner, calling them heroes and goading them on by saying "not to let po' white trash" ride over them. The arrival of the militia overawed the negroes, and the task of arresting the rioters was begun. Every negro found armed was arrested, and thirty-five now are behind the bars, with warrants issued for seventy-five or a hundred more.

The soldiers are still here, although the courage of the mob's broken, and no more trouble is anticipated. The only danger that will develop will come when the rioters are placed on trial.

The Havana Strike Gaining.

Havana, Aug. 25.—The strike of masons and bricklayers seems to be gaining strength. All repairs that were in progress on the Palace, the Custom House, the telegraph offices and other public buildings are at a standstill. The strikers count upon support of the local labor organizations. There are 200 men still working, but they have been told that they will regret their course later.

The period of thirty days that was given to unemployed persons to find work has now elapsed, and hereafter all street idlers will be arrested and sent to Vivac, the Tombs of Havana, whence they probably will be sent to the Isle of Pines to work in the marble quarries there. Seventy-two idlers already have been arrested.

The Kentucky Campaign.

Louisville, Ky., Aug. 25.—There is a report current here to-night, which many Democrats believe to be true, to the effect that if Brown shows any great amount of strength Goebel will agree with him to withdraw and re-submit the nomination for Governor to another State convention. The report says that if this is done neither Brown nor Goebel will be candidates for nomination.

Much Wheat Unmarketable.

Portland, Ore., Aug. 25.—The "Oregonian" says that while reports of damage to the wheat crop have been exaggerated, it is now estimated that fully 25 per cent. of the wheat of the Willamette Valley has been rendered unmarketable by the wet weather. Reliable reports indicate that the damage in the Columbia Basin is also very heavy.

President Leaves Plattsburg.

Plattsburg, N. Y., Aug. 25.—The President's party left Buff Polut station last night after a stay of exactly four weeks. They will be the guests of Vice President Hobart at Long Branch for about a week.

Soldiers Sail For Home.

Manila, Aug. 25.—The transports Valencia and Zealandia, with 750 men of the Montana regiment and 400 men belonging to other organizations on board have sailed for San Francisco.

Peter Jackson Knocked Out Again.

Vancouver, B. C., Aug. 25.—Jim Jeffords of California knocked out Peter Jackson in four rounds. Jeffords had it his own way all through.

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SHALL WE DISPUTE?

The Opinions of Hundreds of Our Fellow Citizens?

Residents of Portsmouth, like other American citizens, if making an investigation, want to be sure of getting the worth of their money. They want to know all the whys and wherefores, and in a direct ratio to the value of the investment they borrow and defer until satisfied with the collateral. Take an instance in the realm of proprietary medicines. If we know of a friend who has been cured, we have some faith in the preparation; if we know of two or three, our faith increases. If the cures reach hundreds, all well-known citizens, and anyone who still maintains that there is nothing beyond ordinary merit in the said preparation, can safely be left to the care of his fellow taxpayers. If he wishes to pick a quarrel with them on the question of their judgment and veracity, he has ample opportunity to do so. Begin with this:

Mr. A. A. Shea, of No. 2 Langdon street, says: "I had kidney trouble occasionally for 2 years or more. Whenever I contracted a cold or any lifting, bad spells would come on me. I did not have much backache. It was the kidney secretion that distressed and annoyed me. While in a pretty bad shape I was induced by the printed testimonials appearing in the papers to give Doan's Kidney Pills a trial, and I went to Philbrick's pharmacy in the Franklin block and procured a box. After stopped using them I felt no inconvenience from the urinary difficulty. The lameness had gone with it. I consider this a good recommendation for Doan's Kidney Pills."

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DEATH OF JUDGE HILTON.

After a Lingering Illness He Passes Away at Saratoga.

Saratoga, N. Y., Aug. 25.—Former Judge Henry Hilton died here late yesterday afternoon after an illness of more than a week. Hopes that he would recover were abandoned by his physicians, and he sank during the day, passing away about six o'clock.

Judge Hilton was born in October, 1824, in Newburg, N. Y. When Henry was a small child his father moved to New York, and was engaged in business here until his death, living in Wooster street.

Ex-Judge Hilton was known widely from his relations to Alexander T. Stewart. Mrs. Hilton was the cousin of Mrs. Stewart, and through that relationship the judge was early brought into social intimacy with Mr. Stewart, and became his legal advisor. Mr. Stewart, who died in April, 1870, left a large legacy to Mr. Hilton, and Mrs. Stewart, shortly after her husband's death, at the request of her husband, as she stated, transferred to Judge Stanton all interest in the mercantile business. Thereupon Judge Hilton wholly abandoned his profession and devoted himself to mercantile pursuits. He continued in mercantile business until about 1883, when he was succeeded by his sons and his son-in-law, who continued the business under the firm names of Sylvester, Hilton & Co., and Hilton, Hughes & Co.

Ex-Judge Hilton had three sons living, Edward B., Henry G. and Albert B. Hilton, and two daughters, Cornelia, the wife of John M. Hughes, and Josephine H., the wife of Judge Horace Russell.

A New Feud in Kentucky.

Louisville, Ky., Aug. 25.—Another feud has broken loose in Leslie County. Abijah Napier was instantly killed, having been shot through the heart by "Bijo" Morgan. Both men had a number of friends and relatives upon the ground and immediately after the killing it seemed that a fight would follow. Caution and determined work on the part of the officers prevented more bloodshed.

Property Will Go to Yale.

Philadelphia, Pa., Aug. 25.—The will of ex-provost of the University of Pennsylvania Charles J. Stille, just admitted to probate, leaves his estate, valued at about \$158,470, to his widow during her life, and after her death to Yale University, Gloria Dei Church and the Historical Church of Pennsylvania. The legacy to Yale is to be devoted to history and political science.

Divorce in Eleven Minutes.

Ogden, Utah, Aug. 25.—Here is Utah's rapid transit divorce record: Attorney for Mrs. Rose Silverstein appeared at 4:30 P. M. with complaint; at 4:35 the clerk took the papers to Judge Tolpok's chambers; at 4:40 attorney for plaintiff produced a type-written decree; at 4:41 it was signed and recorded. In just eleven minutes the divorce was granted.

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Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry. Nature's specific for dysentery; diarrhoea and summer complaint.

Dewey Will Arrive Sept. 28.

New York, Aug. 25.—In answer to a cablegram Admiral Dewey says he will arrive in New York on Sept. 28.

MERCIER CORNERED.

Rennes in an 'Uproar Over the Dreyfus Trial.

COUNSEL LABOR AT HIS BEST.

He Makes a Strong Point on the Part Esterhazy Played in the For- mer Trial.

Confession Dragged from Col. Maurel by M. Labori Creates the Greatest Excitement — The Alleged Bribery Letters Written by Dreyfus' Bro- ther Have Been Distorted.

Rennes, Aug. 25.—The court-martial of Captain Alfred Dreyfus was resumed at the Lycee, with the reading of the deposition of M. Penot.

True to his statement that he would have some more questions to put to General Mercier, M. Labori got Mercier again on the stand, and drove him to such a pass that it looked for a moment as though a personal encounter would take place between the man who condemned Dreyfus and the brilliant lawyer for the defense.

The General was driven into a fury over questions relating to secret evidence.

At M. Labori's request a new witness, George Leloir, was called. Leloir said he knew the Bodsons at whose house Dreyfus, according to the testimony of De Beaupre, witness yesterday, plotted with a German officer. M. and Mme. Bodson were greatly astounded at the arrest of Dreyfus and said they thought him incapable of treason.

Leloir's testimony was a flat contradiction of De Beue's evidence yesterday. Colonel Maurel, who was president of the court-martial which convicted Dreyfus in 1894, next testified.

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Colonel Maurel said he had only seen one of the documents of the secret dossier.

"Which one?" demanded Labori.

Witness pleaded secrecy, and mentioned General Mercier as probably knowing more about the matter than he did.

Labori seized the chance to recall General Mercier. Mercier took the stand, and a splendid verbal duel followed between the General and the lawyer.

Labori now began to question General Mercier concerning his part in bringing secret evidence before the first court-martial without the knowledge of the accused.

General Mercier began to answer frankly and pleasantly at first, but later he lost his temper as Labori grew more impudent and relentless.

The General, however, troubled his mind might be, suddenly departed from the callous demeanor characteristic of him.

The lawyer made a strong point on the part Esterhazy played. Mercier said he did not know Esterhazy and only saw him once at the Zola trial.

"That is very interesting," exclaimed M. Labori. "But surely Gen. Mercier was present at the Esterhazy trial."

The General replied that he was not there, and that he knew nothing about the evidence in the Esterhazy prosecution.

"What?" cried Labori: "Gen. Mercier, who was the chief accuser of Dreyfus, did not even follow the proceedings in the Esterhazy trial?"

A loud murmur of surprise and indignation came from the audience, and Col. Journaud immediately suppressed it.

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SATURDAY, AUGUST 26, 1899.

Gen. Joe Wheeler has landed in the Philippines. This fact should warn Mr. Aguinaldo to open up a few more units of retreat.

Ambassador Choate has been visiting in the Scotch Highlands. It is to be hoped, however, that he has not contracted the dialect.

Reports from Rennes hint that another tragedy is soon to occur in the Dreyfus case. Possibly the revolver argument is about to be resumed.

Paris seems likely to develop into a first class riot center before the summer ends. In this respect it may come to be known as the Cleveland of Europe.

Nearly all the great railway companies report a shortage of freight cars. Genial old General Prosperity has loaded them up with more business than they can handle.

Mr. Bryan announces that his party will point out specific remedies for "the trust evil." That sounds just like an extract from a patent medicine advertisement.

Witnesses who appear before the Dreyfus court martial don't testify. They simply jaw and make stumpy speeches to one another. It is a great talkfest.

Nearly all the zinc smelters in the west have entered a combination to regulate production and prices. That is to say, they have decided to zinc their differences.

Before the Olympia reaches Gibraltar her crew will be put through the regular quarterly target practice with the big guns. Admiral Dewey is evidently of the opinion that there's nothing like keeping one's hand in.

Gov. Tanner, of Illinois, contends that President McKinley's recent call for volunteers is illegal, and he also declares that these new regiments must not be officered with "little duders from West Point." Obviously the governor's temper is in a dangerous state of inflammation.

Nothing more disastrous could befall the noisy "anti-imperialists" in this country than the early suppression of the Filipino rebellion. They shudder with horror at the war, but in their hearts they earnestly hope it may continue another year for campaign purposes. Scratch an "anti-imperialist" and as a rule you find a hypocrite.

Many Plunges to Death.

Santiago, de Cuba, Aug. 25.—A railway accident occurred here. An entire passenger train fell into the River Mapoch, which runs through the city, and many lives were lost. Although the tremendous storms that have been raging for a fortnight throughout Chile continue, there has been some abatement. Advices from various points indicate widespread distress and misery. Valparaíso and other cities have suffered severely.

H. Walter Webb Seriously Ill.

Plattsburg, N. Y., Aug. 25.—News has reached here that H. Walter Webb, vice president of the New York Central Railroad and a brother of Dr. W. Seward Webb, is critically ill at H. McK. Twombly's camp, on Upper Stregis Lake. The dispatch states that M. Webb is suffering from a complication of diseases, and the gravest fears are entertained for his recovery.

BASE BALL.

A game of base ball was played at Sewall's bridge, York, on Friday between the York Harbors and the Paraguays of Rye. The latter club won by the score of twelve to six.

"I had a running, itching sore on my leg. Suffered tortures. Dosen's Ointment took away the burning and itching instantly and quickly effected permanent cure." G.W. Lenhart, Bowling Green, O.

BY TELEGRAPH.

MASSACHUSETTS STAKE RACE.

READVILLE, MASS., Aug. 25.—The seventh and deciding heat in the Massachusetts stake race, for \$10,000 in the 2:13 trotting class, was won today by Charlie Herr, Lecco second, Tom Boy third; time, 2:12 3-4. It was the slowest heat of the race. The track was heavy on the pole and the drivers had to keep wide off. It is estimated that 15,000 people saw the race.

The heat was almost repetition of the sixth heat of Wednesday. Charlie Herr took the lead at the quarter, with Tom Boy in the rear and Lecco well up against her. Lecco broke at the quarter and at the half. In the stretch Lecco and Charlie Herr were very close and at the wire it looked like a dead heat, but Lecco was set back on account of breaks.

The result was decided the largest stake in the country, except the futurity at Louisville. It is estimated that from \$100,000 to \$200,000 were involved in the deciding heat, each of the three horses having previously taken two heats. It is claimed that one pool alone aggregated \$35,000.

The 2:14 pace was won by Daniel; best time, 2:00 1-2.

The 2:07 pace was won by Lady of the Mannor; best time, 2:03 3-4.

The 2:10, trot was won by Creecus; best time, 2:10.

The 2:18 trot was won by Senator L.; best time, 2:15 1-2.

The big event tomorrow will be the free-for-all trot.

ADMIRAL WATSON ILL.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 25.—The United States Army and Navy Register tomorrow will say: Recent letters from Manila mention the illness of Admiral Watson and state that it is a source of great anxiety to his officers. His

illness is the effect of an accident met with by a launch which the admiral was aboard of on the 11th of July. The launch was going up a river, and as it was passing under a bridge the strong current set against the little boat and she was thrown against the hawser of a sailing vessel which carried away her awning and smokestack. Admiral Watson, who was sitting in the forward part of the launch, saw the danger, but showed no appearance of having been affected by it. Later, however, serious heart trouble developed and he was reported as extremely ill up to the date of the letter, Aug. 17th. No one but his physician was allowed to see him.

ENCAMPMENT CLOSED.

THE WEARS, Aug. 25.—After three days of unsettled weather the twenty-third annual encampment of the New Hampshire Veterans' association closed tonight after electing the following officers: President, Major Otis C. Wyatt of Tilton; vice president, Louis N. Aldrich of Keene; secretary, Col. Nat Shackson of The Weirs; treasurer, Col. Dana W. King of Nashua. The report of the treasurer showed the association to be out of debt. The last camp fire of the week was held this evening in the Third regiment building, after which the encampment was declared closed.

NEGROES IN A SWAMP.

DARIEN, GA., Aug. 25.—Seventy-five members of the First Georgia regiment, are patrolling the town. All saloons are closed, and the strictest order is maintained. Nearly all the negroes have left town, and it is said that they have massed in a swamp twelve miles away and are known to be armed. A posse of citizens left on a special train for the place and will maintain a guard over the negroes and keep them from doing any damage.

OLYMPIA'S SAILORS LAND.

NICE, Aug. 25.—The battalion from the U. S. S. Olympia landed from the cruiser this morning for drill purposes. Half the town witnessed the drilling. Admiral Dewey passed a quiet day on board the ship. He seems in perfect health.

BASE BALL.

The following is the result of the National league base ball games played yesterday:

Pittsburg 7, Boston 6; at Pittsburg.

Cleveland 4, New York 2; at Cleve-

land.

St. Louis 5, Philadelphia 2; St. Louis

3; Philadelphia 1; at St. Louis.

CREEDON GETS THE DECISION.

NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—During the sixth round of the fight between Dan Creedon and Fred Morris in the Broadway Athletic club tonight, the referee stopped the bout and gave the decision to Creedon.

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WILL LEAVE SEPTEMBER 5th.

PLATTSBURG, N. Y., Aug. 25.—The Twenty-sixth regiment leaves here for San Francisco and the Philippines on the fifth of September, going by way of Boston and Providence.

THE PEOPLE FLEE.

OPORTO, PORTUGAL, Aug. 25.—There has been a great exodus of the population since the government has pronounced quarantine against the bubonic plague.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 25.—Forecast for New England: Fair Saturday and Sunday, south to west winds.

YORK HARBOR.

YORK HARBOR, Aug. 26.—The dull weather of the past week had a tendency to make somewhat of a lull in the gayeties and out of door sports. Many social events, however, have taken place as a dawning realization of the near approach of the end of the season comes to the unwilling mind of the cotager and hotel guest.

Friday was a busy day and there was entertainment for all classes. The annual Sunday school picnic of the Congregational church was held at Gorham's Island, Kittery, and a good time enjoyed by all present. Fish chowder was served and the trip was made by trolley, a round trip ticket and reduced rates being allowed by Supt. Melon.

The regular mid-summer tennis tournament in which the families of Rev. Frank Sewell, Mr. James T. Davidson and others largely participate, began on that same day on Mt. Davidson's court.

A game of base ball between the Rye beach and York Harbor nines was played in Marshall's field, resulting in a victory for the visiting team.

A large crowd witnessed the game which was exciting.

In Lancaster hall Friday evening Mr. Francis Rogers assisted by Miss Alice Robbins Cole gave a song recital which for excellence and enjoyment could not be surpassed. The audience, which was large, included many distinguished persons, who gave the artists a most flattering reception.

PEOPLES CHURCH.

No pastor. Preaching service Sunday evening at 7:30 p. m. Young people's meeting on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. General meeting on Friday at 8:30. All are invited. Preaching tomorrow by Rev. G. O. Bullock.

Y. M. C. A.

Association rooms open from 9:00 to 10:30 a. m. and from 1:00 to 6:00 p. m. Men's meeting at 4:00 p. m. Open week days from 9:00 a. m. to 10:00 p. m.

SALVATION ARMY.

Meetings will be held all day in the hall on Market street. Hall drill at 7:30 a. m. Holiness meeting at 10:00 a. m. Free and easy at 3:00 p. m. Salvation meeting at 8:00 p. m.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH, KITTERY.

Rev. E. W. Kennison, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 12:00 m. Eworth League meeting at 6:00 p. m. Evening service at 7:30. All are welcome.

SECOND METHODIST CHURCH, KITTERY.

Rev. J. G. Dutton, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 11:45 a. m. Y. P. S. C. E. meeting at 6:00 p. m. Prayer meeting at 7:00 p. m. All are welcome.

ADVENT CHRISTIAN CHURCH, SOUTH ELLIOT.

Rev. Geo. W. Brown, pastor. Sunday school at 10:00 a. m. Prayer meeting at 11:30 a. m. Sunday school at 12:00 m. Eworth League meeting at 6:00 p. m. Evening service at 7:30. All are welcome.

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Makes three trips daily. See time table in another column.

AUCTION
OF WAR RELICS.

At the Marine Barracks, Navy Yard, Portsmouth on Wednesday, Aug. 30 at 2:30 p. m.

It will be sold a large amount of interesting relics of our late war consisting of haversacks, clothing bags, canteens, cartridge belts, waist plates (brass), meat boxes, mess boxes, forks, spoons, etc. Trumpets and drums, etc. All these articles were brought here direct by the U. S. S. Raleigh and were used on that ship in her memorable battle with Admiral Dewey. The trophies taken above were the same used to call the crew to quarters when beginning action. All the articles to be sold, which were not used by the U. S. S. Raleigh, were used in the same manner.

The authenticity of the above facts will be vouched for by Col. R. L. Meade, under whose direction the sale will be made.

This will be a special opportunity for the public to obtain souvenirs of the Spanish war direct from the U. S. government. Intending purchasers can reach the navy yard by the government ferry.

—Sale at the Marine barracks, navy yard, Portsmouth, N. H., Wednesday, Aug. 30th at 2:30 p. m. Terms cash.

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SATURDAY, AUGUST 26, 1899

YORK'S REAL ESTATE BOOM.

The auction sale of real estate which took place at Long Beach, York, on Aug. 22d, only goes to show that York's real estate is bound to increase in value.

Under the management of Mr. H. E. Evans, York Bureau of Information, at the first sale on Aug. 8th, eleven thousand dollars worth of real estate was sold; on Aug. 9th about ten thousand dollars worth; and in the last sale of Aug. 22d, under the most unfavorable weather conditions, \$11,870 worth was sold. During the time between these dates \$6,000 was sold at private sale.

The sale of lots at Norwood's farm and the York Cliffs' Improvement company to the present time, amount to \$12,000, showing a total aggregate of nearly \$60,000 that this one agency handled, and with the present indications it is predicted that at least \$25,000 more will be moved before the season is fairly over.

Outside of the movement of this property over \$3,000 have been collected in rents for the summer cottages, and the demand for cottages for next season is very large and undoubtedly before the season of 1900 York's value will be increased at least \$200,000.

THE OPENING OF MUSIC HALL.

"Eight Bells" will be presented at Music hall on Thursday evening next. There is no villain in Byrne Brothers' rejuvenated "Eight Bells," but there is plenty of fun, trick scenery, good music and clever specialties. The piece has been here so often that little need be said in praise of its many excellent features. All the former successes in the way of trick effects are retained and many new things added. It still presents the great revolving ship scene, the trick wagon, the hustling octopus, the weird trunk, doors and chairs, and numerous new features. Incidentally a number of pleasing specialties are introduced. No one can help but admire the fine acrobatic work of the John Byrne troupe of acrobats.

MAINE POTATOES.

The first shipment of Aroostook potatoes through this city for this season has been made. This is the earliest for a good many years. In former years it was not customary to begin the shipments until September. Even then the shipments were very small. This year's first shipment was contained in five cars, and as each car contains something like 500 bushels, an idea of the size can be gained. Another peculiar fact is that it was only a few weeks ago that the last shipments of the old potatoes were made. It is believed in two or three weeks the season will be in full swing for the reason that one or two car-loads are now being sent away every day.

MATCHED GAME OF POOL.

A most exciting match game of pool was played at the Rockingham house on Friday evening, between Messrs. William Hanna and William Keloe two young men, both of whom are pretty handy with the cue. Hanna won by a score of 100 to eighty-four. The young men are pretty evenly matched and another game is likely to be arranged soon.

RUNAWAY.

A horse belonging to Hon. Justin V. Hanscom ran away on Market street on Friday afternoon and it was by the greatest good luck that a young lad who was in the team at the time escaped serious injury. The youngster was thrown out, but suffered only a few bruises and scratches. The team was injured somewhat and the horse had a few marks on him.

WORKING THE PEOPLE.

Many prominent citizens have been called upon by a gentleman from Washington who informs them that their names have been selected to be presented with a set of the "President's Messages." The books cost those who receive them about \$30.00 and the government has nothing to do with the delivery.

HORSE STOLEN.

A horse belonging to Daniel Cook of Kittery was stolen from a barn at Langley's corner, York, on Wednesday night, the 25th inst. The horse is gray of color, seven years old and weighs about 1400 pounds. A side bar buggy and an express harness were also stolen. Information has been given to the police of nearby cities.

Bodily pain lessens its terror if you've a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in the house. Instant relief in cases of burns, cuts, sprains, accidents of any sort.

Flatulence is cured by BEECHAM'S PILLS.

USED A KNIFE.

Young Man Tried to Kill Himself Because He Thinks People Are Against Him.

William Keir of Rochester tried to kill himself down on the water front in this city early this morning. He was impelled by the notion that everybody is against him and wants him out of the way.

Keir was found on Broughton's wharf, at the foot of State street, about fifteen minutes before three o'clock, by Patrolmen Hilton and Murphy. He was red with blood from quite a deep cut in the back of his neck.

The officers took him to the police station, and Dr. Towle was summoned. It proved that Keir had stabbed himself with a small, pearl-handled pen knife.

The blade which he thrust into his neck is about one and a half inches long. It was covered with blood. Dr. Towle found that the wound was an inch deep, but not dangerous.

Keir was locked up. He is undoubtedly confused mentally. The reason that he gives for his attempt at suicide is that which drives so many people in this condition to self destruction.

He declares that everybody, even his best friend, is hounding him and making his existence miserable. He has been employed in Ireland's shoe factory at Dover for quite a while and has been in the custom of riding back and forth daily to his home, in Rochester, where his father is a quite well-to-do cobbler.

He told the officers that during these rides on the cars people were continually slurring him and casting all sorts of vile epithets at him.

This is, of course, only imaginary, for they say in Dover and Rochester that he is reckoned a good fellow and has many friends.

Keir has in view the appearance of a "bun." He is well dressed and of a good personality. He is about thirty years of age, and unmarried. Two or three dollars was found in his pockets. He did not appear to regret his foolish act, today. He did say, however, that he thought he could get along better away from Dover, (and) that he wouldn't go back there.

This forenoon Assistant Marshal West telephoned the circumstances of the case to the senior Keir, and he is expected here on an afternoon train from Rochester on Friday evening.

Young Keir has been sitting in the officers' room at the police station quietly today. He looks like the last man who would think of resorting to suicide. He is a native of Scotland, and a Knight Templar.

A PRIZE FIGHT ON?

Rumor That One Occurs At Rockingham This Afternoon.

Local sports had the tip today that a prize fight to the finish was to be pulled off at Rockingham Junction this afternoon. Matty Leahy of East Boston was to go up against a Biddeford Frenchman, it was said.

The affairs are held at Rockingham periodically and it is presumed that the same barn that has served for so many of them will be the rallying place to-day.

"It'll be a rattling good scrap," said one fellow this noon who had been drinking till he had become talkative, "but you want to put your money on Matty. It's only going to cost a quarter to see it, and there'll be a mob there."

PULLED HIS REVOLVER?

Killed A Dog and Wounded A Boy.

Special Officer Hodgkins of the S. P. C. A., who was at "Little Brighton" and Heading yesterday, intends to make it very sultry for somebody in Epping, if he can only locate the guilty party beyond doubt. While up that way he heard of the case. Two men drove to Epping from the campground at Heading, a day or two ago, and a pretty dog owned by one of them raced ahead of the team.

When they reached a certain blacksmith shop at the village, some fellow (whether the blacksmith or a Lounger, Officer Hodgkins cannot say certainly,) came out, drew a revolver without any apparent provocation and deliberately shot the dog to death. Besides, he hit a boy in the calf of the leg, making a bad wound.

Officer Hodgkins heard of this just as he was taking the train for Portsmouth last night, so he had no chance to follow it up then. It will not drop here, however.

OBITUARY.

Michael Sheridan.

Michael Sheridan, aged 87 years, died this morning at the home of his son, 46 Wibird street. He leaves a wife and several sons and daughters.

PISCATAQUA HERE.

The U. S. S. Piscataqua, Lieut. Com. Fields, arrived in port this morning about 9:30, from Boston. Everything is in first-class condition on board.

CITY BRIEFS.

"Old Home Week" commences today.

The dancing season has opened a little early this year.

Tom Boy was sick Thursday and had no chance to win, acting lifeless.

Frank Reardon was committed to the Portsmouth jail on Friday afternoon.

WANTED.—A good, neat, capable housewife girl. Apply at Herald office.

Conner, photographer studio, (formerly Nickerson's) No. 1 Congress street.

The "S. G." Londres is made of the choicest stock and is the best ten cent cigar in the market.

Hoyt's Conservatory orchestra played for a German at the Albracca, York Harbor, last night.

Old smokers and new beginners pronounce Dowd's Honest Ten Cigar the finest brand on the market.

All the cars of the Exeter, Hampton and Amesbury Street railway will soon be equipped with air brakes.

The propelling shaft of the steamer Queen City was broken Wednesday night, but was soon repaired.

The employees of the Frank Jones' Brewing company enjoyed their annual outing at Fox point on Friday.

One or two more arrests would serve to warn some of the fast bicycle riders who are growing careless again.

Miss Maud Entwistle and her company will be given a grand ovation at Music hall on Thursday, Sept. 7th.

Rubber heels become very popular and John G. Mott is fitting out the local public with an excellent article.

Travel to the seashore has reached the high water mark. The mountain is still popular for some weeks to come.

Rev. R. L. Harris will preach at the People's church on Sunday; subject, "The Tree of Life." Everybody invited.

Householders are extra careful just now about locking up for the night. The recent breaks have inspired them with caution.

The weather forecast of showers and probably thunder storms for last night proved unreliable, as weather forecasts sometimes are.

The handsome steam yacht Susquehanna, owned by Joseph Stickney of New York, was anchored in the lower harbor on Friday evening.

City Marshal Entwistle is sending out postals with a description of the horse and buggy stolen from D. B. Cook at York on Thursday.

"Judging" will be the subject of the sermon at the Pearl street church on Sunday morning. Grand gospel service in the evening to which all are cordially invited.

Strawberry Bank grange will attend the meeting of the East Rockingham Pomona grange at Heading camp ground and will take part in the program of the day.

It has been arranged that General Merritt will represent the army at the great New York celebration to welcome Dewey. The man to represent the navy is coming on the Olympia.

The large fleet of vessels due to arrive here will probably be along soon. One schooner left Philadelphia two weeks ago last Monday and another was only a day or two later in sailing.

It is the opinion of the street railway officials all over the country that the day of the four wheeled cars is limited. Nearly all street railway companies that are ordering new cars are using the eight-wheel trucks.

Rev. Dr. J. A. M. Chapman, formerly of Philadelphia, where he was for many years pastor of one of the largest and most influential churches in that city, will occupy the pulpit at the North church next Sunday.

A team of bowlers, composed of A. S. Langley, Fred O. Green, John Troy, Oscar Johnson and Clarence Carlisle, went to the beach last evening and easily defeated a Portsmouth team at regulation pins. Another game will be rolled Thursday evening.—Exeter letter, Manchester Union.

The Hebrews in this vicinity will observe the new year 5660, which begins with appropriate ceremonies on the 5th and 6th of September. The Day of Atonement comes on the 14th. Sept. 19 and 20 is the Feast of Tabernacles and the 26th and 27th is the Feast of Booths. The orthodox Hebrews celebrate these events with great ceremonial.

STCLEN SILVERWARE FOUND.

The silverware which was stolen from "Miramar," Capt. W. H. Jacques' cottage at Little Boar's Head, on August 5, was discovered in a pawnshop in Boston by Inspector McGarr. Capt. Jacques went to Boston Friday and claimed it.

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RUNAWAY COUPLE HERE.

Lad and Lassie, refused license in Rochester, come to Portsmouth to get married—girl's father after them.

The police station here had a pair of interesting visitors this noon in the persons of Miss Prudence Flonsdale of Saco, and her beau, a young French lad of Biddeford. Each is about 16 years old. They want to get married, but they find that the path of love is rockier than a Coon county pasture, as Shakespeare once remarked, only in more classical language.

The young couple arrived in Rochester on Thursday night. Yesterday morning they went to City Clerk Quimby and asked for a marriage license. They were refused, because the girl's father, unscrewing what was up, had notified the city marshal of Saco, who immediately wired the Rochester officers to be on the lookout for the couple and prevent the marriage, if possible.

Of course, City Clerk Quimby was at once notified and requested not to furnish the couple a license. Consequently, the would-be husband was surprised and indignant when informed by Mr. Quimby that he could not have a license.

The young man put up a strong argument and was backed up by his intended, but the city clerk was immovable and the young couple left the office quite exasperated.

About fifteen minutes after they had taken their departure, Tape Flonsdale made his appearance upon the scene, only to learn that he was too late to apprehend his wayward child. He was greatly relieved, however, upon being informed that the ceremony had not taken place, and hastened out in search of the couple. He couldn't